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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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In re Application of M. Rigdon Lentz

Application Number 09/709,045 Filed 11/10/00

For METHOD AND SYSTEM TO REMOVE CYTOKINE INHIBITOR IN PATIENTS

Group Art Unit 1647

Examiner
P.J. Seharaseyon

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